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Art Unit: 1772 (Examiner Unknown)

Applicant: Ursula MURSCHALL et al.

Application No.: 10/084,028

Filed: February 27, 2002

For: "White, Biaxially Oriented Film Made From a Crystallizable Thermoplastic

with High Whiteness and with Additional Functionality"

Charlotte, North Carolina April 26, 2001

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Preliminary to Examination of the above-identified application, kindly amend the application as follows:

In the Specification

Please amend the Comparative Example 1 in the specification on page 27, line 16 to read A monofilm was produced of 50µm thickness and corresponded to Example 2. However, no optical brightener was present in the film.

REMARKS

Entry of the Amendment substituting the reference cited in the application is respectively requested.

Attached hereto is a marked up version of the changes made to the specification by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to show changes made".

Respectfully submitted,

Klaus Schweitzer

(See attached Limited Recognition Form)

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